All such motions to intervene or protests should be filed on or before August 10, 1998. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of the filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-682-000]

Viking Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

July 29, 1998.

Take notice that on July 22, 1998, Viking Gas Transmission Company (Viking), 825 Rice Street, St. Paul, Minnesota, 55117, filed in Docket No. CP98-682-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, and 157.212, of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.212) for authorization to add a new delivery point to accommodate natural gas deliveries to Wisconsin Gas (Wisconsin) in Polk County, Wisconsin under Viking's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP88-679-000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Viking states that Wisconsin has requested metering capacities to accommodate up to 3,600 Dth of gas per day at the Black Brook delivery point. Viking states that the new delivery point will not exceed contract quantities, and the changes proposed are not prohibited by Viking's tariff. They also state that they have sufficient capacity in its system to accomplish delivery of gas to the proposed delivery point without detriment or disadvantage to Viking's other customers.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a

protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-681-000]

Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

July 29, 1998.

Take notice that on July 22, 1998, Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. (Williams), P.O. Box 3288, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101, filed in Docket No. CP98-681-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.216 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.216) for authorization to abandon by reclaim facilities installed to receive transportation gas from Holden Energy Corporation (Holden), located in Alfalfa County, Oklahoma, under Williams' blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-479-000, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Williams proposes to abandon facilities used for the receipt of transportation gas from Holden at the Kasperak 27–1 well located in Section 27, Township 29 North, Range 12 West, Alfalfa County, Oklahoma. Williams declares that the facilities were originally installed by Williams in 1985 to receive transportation gas from Holden.

Williams asserts that Holden has informed Williams that they are reclaiming this production due to low volume, line pressure, and dew point problems.

Williams states that the cost to reclaim the meter setting and appurtenant facilities is estimated to be approximately \$1,175.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission,

file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Western Area Power Administration

Collections From Central Valley
Project Power Contractors to Carry
Out the Restoration, Improvement, and
Acquisition of Environmental Habitat
Provisions of the Central Valley Project
Improvement Act of 1992

AGENCY: Western Area Power Administration, DOE. **ACTION:** Notice of final procedures.

SUMMARY: The Western Area Power Administration (Western) is, by publication of this notice, announcing its final procedures for the assessment and collection of restoration fund payments from the Central Valley Project (CVP) power contractors. These final procedures supersede the procedures published in the Federal Register on April 8, 1994. Western published the proposed procedures in the Federal Register on April 13, 1998. Included in this notice is a discussion of the comments on the proposed procedures.

DATES: The final procedures will become effective September 3, 1998 and will remain in effect until superseded. ADDRESSES: Information regarding the final procedures, including comments, letters, and other supporting documents made or kept by Western to develop these final procedures, is available for public inspection and copying at Western's Sierra Nevada Customer Service Region, 114 Parkshore Drive, Folsom, California.

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